

SPE RESPONSE FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

Paper No.: _____

DATE : 4/14/08TO SPE OF : ART UNIT 3679SUBJECT : Request for Certificate of Correction on Patent No.: 6,869,050

A response is requested with respect to the accompanying request for a certificate of correction.

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With respect to the change(s) requested, correcting Office and/or Applicant's errors, should the patent read as shown in the certificate of correction (COCIN)? No new matter should be introduced, nor should the scope or meaning of the claims be changed.*Delora Dillard*

Thank You For Your Assistance

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The request for issuing the above-identified correction(s) is hereby:

Note your decision on the appropriate box.

☐ Approved

All changes apply.

☐ Approved in Part

Specify below which changes do not apply.

xxx ☒ Denied

State the reasons for denial below.

Denied. The claims sought to be added by this certificate of correction were clearly denied entry by the exr as evidenced by the Advisory action mailed July 1, 2003. Further, while claim 3 of the printed patent clearly is erroneously present, it appears that the remaining claims were printed in accordance with the last properly submitted claim amendment (2/6/2002) though the exr apparently intended that the claims allowed be the version filed as an Appeal Claims Appendix (1/28/2003) as evidenced by his notation in the margin dated 9/16/2004. Nevertheless, the claims submitted in the certificate of correction are clearly not as they should appear in the printed patent and thus they are denied now.

/Daniel P. Stodola/

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